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## Bishop tells bishops: Beware of envelopes

By Christian V. Esguerra

IT'S JANUARY, THE TIME OF THE YEAR WHEN the Catholic Bishops Conference of the Philippines (CBCP) assembles in the first of two closed-door meetings to tackle diocesan concerns and national issues.

Going by the past plenary assemblies held during the Arroyo administration, it's also the

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## Most Filipinos think politicos are dishonest

By Tina Arceo-Dumlao

FILIPINOS DO NOT THINK HIGHLY OF THEIR political leaders.

According to a national survey conducted last November by Asia Research Organization for Gallup International Association, as many as three of five Filipinos believe that their political leaders are "dishonest."

PROBE?, A6

# GMA urged to stop suspending local officials

By Gil C. Cabacungan Jr. and Norman Bordadora

GOVERNORS ARE PLANNING TO ask President Macapagal-Arroyo to impose a moratorium on the suspension and dismissal of elected local officials so as "to avoid adding more fire to a highly charged political atmosphere."

Ilocos Sur Gov. Luis "Chavit" Singson and Eastern Samar Gov. Ben Evardone said they would make the appeal to the President when the governors meet with her over dinner at Malacañang next week.

Presidential Chief of Staff Michael Defensor said he would also convey to the President the local government officials' concerns over the string of high-profile dismissals and suspensions of mayors and governors.

"We share the concerns of local government officials and we believe that a moratorium is indeed the most prudent thing to do at this time," Defensor said.

The governors are making the call after Interior Secretary Ronaldo Puno announced that more mayors and governors facing corruption charges could face dismissal or suspension.

The Ombudsman issued on Jan. 12 dismissal orders against Iloilo Gov. Neil Tupas, Mayor Wenceslao Trinidad of Pasay City and Mayor Antonio Esquivel of Jaen, Nueva Ecija, and a suspension order against Gov. Antonio Sanchez of Batangas.

The police assault on the Iloilo provincial capitol on Jan. 17 to evict Tupas drew widespread criticism and accusations of an "overkill."

The assault was stopped after

GMA URGED, A6



PUNO: More heads will roll

# One-armed bandit next



**BAND OF BROTHERS**
For some officers and men of the Philippine Marines, the fight against the Abu Sayyaf is more than for duty, honor and country. It has also become very personal. This photo was taken in the hinterlands of Basilan in 1993 when the Marines started going after a still unknown enemy. Of the seven men in this photo, only three are still alive, among them then 2nd Lt. Robert Velasco, now a major, and Capt. Juancho Sabban, now a brigadier general. The photo is from Velasco's collection and was furnished to the Inquirer by Arlyn dela Cruz.

## Military targets folk hero Sahiron

A ONE-ARMED SEPTUAGENARIAN who could be the successor to slain Abu Sayyaf chieftain Khadaffy Janjalani has become the next target of the military in its war on terror.

Although already in his 70s, Radullan Sahiron is worshipped as a folk hero in the Abu Sayyaf strongholds in Jolo and Basilan, Lt. Gen. Romeo Tolentino said yesterday.

"If our troops would get Sahiron, then everything would come to an end," Tolentino, the Army chief, was quoted by Reuters as saying.

"Sahiron is the most respected leader in the Abu Sayyaf. He's the most senior and the most experienced although he lacks foreign contacts."

Armed Forces Chief of Staff Gen. Hermogenes Esperon Jr. has said that Sahiron "could be the successor" to Janjalani and vowed the military will go after him and other remaining Abu Sayyaf leaders.

Esperon said his troops were girding for what he called "the final battle" with the Abu Sayyaf and claimed the end of the bandit group was near.

"If we get Sahiron, I think everything will crumble," Tolentino told reporters at the weekend.

But an Army intelligence officer, who requested anonymity, expressed doubts that Sahiron would be able to effectively lead the bandit group because of his advanced age, among other things.

"But his counsel would always be sought and would remain an important voice in decision-making," said the officer.

Sahiron's right arm was amputated when it was shattered by a bullet in a firefight when he was still a Moro National Liberation Front fighter in the 1970s.



SAHIRON: Most respected Abu

The military last weekend confirmed Janjalani had died from wounds sustained in a gun battle with troops on Patikul, Jolo, last September.

Last week, the military said it had killed Jainal Antel Sali, alias Abu Solaiman, the group's tactician and master planner.

Tolentino said the military's top targets were Sahiron, and then Dulmatin and Umar Patek, two Indonesian militants blamed for the 2002 Bali bombings who had taken refuge with the Abu Sayyaf in Jolo.

"It would be easier to track down and get the Indonesians if we get Sahiron out of the way," he said. "His subordinates would probably come to us to collect rewards for those Indonesians."

Two other Abu Sayyaf leaders have been mentioned by the military as possible successors to Janjalani.

They are Isnilon Hapilon, who was allegedly involved in the kidnapping of three Americans and 17 mostly Filipino tourists from the Dos Palmas resort in Palawan in 2001, and

ONE-ARMED, A6

## US envoy hails AFP success vs Abus

EVEN THE WORLD'S ONLY SUPERPOWER was impressed.

US Ambassador Kristie Kenney yesterday congratulated the Armed Forces of the Philippines for its successes in the campaign against the Abu Sayyaf and said relations between Manila and Washington were "stronger than ever."

The US tribute followed the killing of Abu Sayyaf chieftain Khadaffy Janjalani and another top leader of the group, Jainal Antel Sali, alias Abu Solaiman, in clashes with the military.

US President George W. Bush has hailed the Philippines as a major ally in America's war on terror. But ties between the two countries recently suffered a setback after a Makati judge convicted US Marine Lance Cpl. Daniel Smith of raping a Filipino woman and sentenced him to 40 years in prison.

Washington suspended military exercises with Manila after Philippine courts refused to hand Smith over to US Embassy custody while his conviction was on appeal.

When the Arroyo administration, despite the absence of a court order, turned Smith over to the embassy, Washington said it was resuming the war games.

US ENVOY, A6

# DOJ looking for evidence of 'treachery'



LEVISTE: Facing reinvestigation

By Armand N. Nocum and Tarra Quismundo

JUSTICE SECRETARY RAUL Gonzalez has ordered a reinvestigation of the killing of Rafael de las Alas on Jan. 12 by former Batangas Gov. Jose Antonio Leviste to find out whether there was "treachery" involved.

Treachery is one of the grounds that would warrant the upgrading of the case filed against Leviste to murder.

The Makati police earlier charged Leviste, the estranged husband of former Sen. Loren B. Legarda, with homicide, allowing him to post bail.

Senior State Prosecutor Emmanuel Velasco yesterday told reporters that the "reinvestigation of the murder is being undertaken in response to the request of the relatives of the victim."

"We want to look into the case thoroughly ... to see if there is evidence of treachery," he said.

Velasco said prosecutors would examine the autopsy report and ballistics tests conducted by forensic experts. The tests showed that De las Alas may have sustained as many as five bullet wounds.

Gonzalez said last week the "the number of shots fired shows there is evident premeditation (on the part of Leviste) because if you just want to maim somebody without really an intent to kill, you will not fire more than one shot."

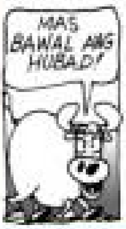
Velasco has asked the Makati court to defer the arraignment of Leviste on the homicide charge pending the reinvestigation.

An arraignment is the act of formally accusing someone of a crime in a court of law and asking him or her to enter a plea of "guilty" or "not guilty." The act places an accused under the court's jurisdiction and paves the way for a trial.

Court rules provide that once arraigned on an offense lesser than murder, Leviste could no longer be charged with a more se-

DOJ, A6

## Airline bars man wearing 'terrorist Bush' T-shirt




SYDNEY—AN AIRLINE PASSENGER, who was barred from an international flight for wearing a T-shirt depicting US President George W. Bush as a terrorist, yesterday threatened legal action against Australia's flag carrier Qantas.

Allen Jasson, 55, an Australian IT expert who lives in Britain, was stopped from boarding a London-bound Qantas flight at Melbourne Airport on Friday for wearing what the airline said was an offensive T-shirt.

Airline staff said Jasson's T-shirt that carried an image of Bush with the tagline

AIRLINE, A4

WEATHER FORECAST

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# Second FRONTPAGE

# JBC list of bets to SC down to 5

By Armand N. Nocum



PUNO

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# US training RP cops, others vs gas attacks

By Volt Contreras

THE UNITED STATES IS TRAINING PHILIPPINE police, firemen, health workers and other civilian personnel on how to respond to attacks using Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD), including chemical, biological and radiological, the US Embassy announced yesterday.

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# 'Third Force' idea gaining ground all around

By TJ Burgonio

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# Fil-Am woman dies in airplane

A FILIPINO-AMERICAN woman died on board a Philippine Airlines (PAL) flight shortly before it landed at the Ninoy Aquino International Airport (Naia) over the weekend.

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# Pinoys' abduction in Nigeria prompts deployment ban





# Loren: I'd rather be Angelina Jolie of RP

## Filipinos, Egyptians riot over football

# Bishop tells bishops: Beware of envelopes





SENATE VISITORS

### Known for corruption

### 'Shameless'

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### Bad timing

### Emotional factor

### Take cases seriously

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# Airline bars man ...

## Corrections

# Palace pushes pay hike; Senate coming around



# 'Bill lowering med prices harmful'

## THE DAILY GOSPEL

# U.P. Batch '66 sets reunion

# Military sharpens tactics in fighting Abu Sayyaf

# One-armed bandit Sahiron next target

### Sulaiman was deadlier

### High-value targets

# US envoy lauds AFP for successful drive vs Abus

### Americans victims, too

### Crucial year

### All-out war no solution

### 'Prepare for the worst'



US SOLDIERS distribute goods in Legazpi City

# Most Filipinos think politicos are dishonest

**Philippines Results**

| | Political leaders | Business leaders |
|---|---|---|
| They are dishonest | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| They have too much power and responsibility | [illegible] | 41% |
| They behave unethically | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| They are too sensitive to public opinion | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| They respond to pressure from people more powerful than themselves | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| They are not capable and competent | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Don't know/Not applicable | [illegible] | [illegible] |

### Business leaders

### Growing pessimism

### Asia more optimistic



ABRA Gov. Vicente Valera shows off a copy of the postponement of his arraignment over illegal possession of firearms charges by the Quezon City Regional Trial Court. Valera is the main suspect in the slaying of Abra Rep. Luis Bersamin Jr. and his bodyguard last Dec. 16.

# Suspect's turnaround didn't surprise Valera

By DJ Yap

THE LAWYER OF ABRA GOV. Vicente Valera said he was not surprised that former Army M/Sgt. [illegible] Panday recanted his statement declaring the governor was the brains behind the murder of Abra Rep. Luis Bersamin Jr.

"Even in the beginning, we knew Panday was not a credible witness," lawyer Jose Grapilon said yesterday after a court hearing.

"[Valera] did not know him from Adam, and there's evidence that [Panday] was not even there when the murder happened," he told reporters.

Grapilon, however, said the recantation did not have any bearing on Valera's cases, including several counts of illegal possession of firearms and explosives pending in two different courts.

He also denied allegations by police that Valera had put up a P5-million fund for favorable media coverage. "That's absolutely unbelievable... The governor knows the media cannot be bought," he said.

Valera declined to answer questions from reporters. When asked how he was, he would only say: "I'm OK. I'm OK."

He was supposed to be arraigned yesterday on weapons possession charges before Judge [illegible] of Quezon City Regional Trial Court Branch [illegible], but the hearing was postponed.

[illegible] reset the arraignment to Feb. 26 to give the prosecutors time to file their motion to admit amended information.

Valera's counsel also indicated their intention to submit a comment on the prosecutors' motion for a hold-departure order against their client, which is pending before the court.

Grapilon said Valera would also file a motion to quash the case once the other motions were resolved.

The prosecutors wanted to change a typographical error in the case information, which said Valera was arrested at 2 p.m. on Dec. 29. He was actually arrested at 2 a.m.

## Mendiola massacre, 20 years after



PEASANT leader Jaime Tadeo locks arms with other sectoral heads, among them Etta Rosales, now a party-list representative, in a huge rally in Mendiola during the term of President Corazon Aquino.



RALLYISTS, composed mostly of farmers, run for safety as police fire at their ranks during a rally in Mendiola.

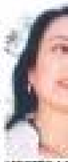


TWENTY years after the "Mendiola Massacre,"




# Loren visits killed by her

By Cynthia D. Balana



# DOJ looking fo











# wake of man ex-husband



# or evidence ...



**Subpoena**

**Reinvestigate or reevaluate**



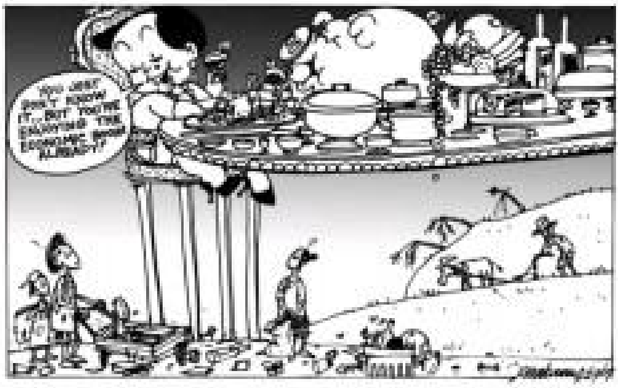
PHILIPPINE DAILY INQUIRER

# OPINION

# Personal property

EDITORIAL

SOME THINGS MAY CHANGE IN THE ELECTIONS in May but one thing will remain the same: members of political dynasties will figure prominently in the major races. Political clans have many advantages over the "ordinary" candidates: they have money, influence, media exposure and name recall.




# Making a cat dance

VIEWPOINT

*Juan L. Mercado*

# The greatest

THERE'S THE RUB

*Conrado de Quiros*

# Machine gun mounted in Iloilo Capitol?

**POLITICAL TIDBITS**

*Belinda Olivares-Cunanan*



# Broken

**YOUNG BLOOD**

# Tempest before the festival

**AT LARGE**

*Rina Jimenez-David*



# The Not-So-United Nations

**WORLD VIEW**

*Richard N. Haass*

# Sado-masochistic government

LETTERS

# Telephone poles are not for hanging

# RP-US ties more important than justice?

# Center funded by Office of the President

# Best of RP another country's pride?

# No apologies to an important friend and ally

# Baseless claims made to justify Iloilo raid



# Across the NATION

# Muslim leaders plan poll guidelines

COTABATO CITY—MUSLIM RELIGIOUS LEADERS and nongovernment organizations in the Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM) met Friday on Islam's criteria of leadership which they hope would provide guidance to the region's over one million voters in the May elections.



US AMBASSADOR Kristie Kenney and Sen. Richard Gordon, head of the Philippine National Red Cross, help US Marines distribute clothes, food, hygiene kits and other items to families in Legazpi City who were displaced by mudflows and floods during Supertyphoon "Reming."

## US, Red Cross execs give gifts to typhoon victims



DEVOTION Residents of Guinobatan, Albay parade images of the Child Jesus during a procession. The residents of the town are still reeling from the disaster brought by mudflows and flooding in the wake of Supertyphoon "Reming." Relief agencies have started distributing goods to the residents, but recovery is a lengthy process for those who lost homes and loved ones in the disaster.

## Youth group tells House: Heed call vs tuition hike

## Baguio wants better terms for John Hay

# Forest destruction to wipe out water sources



DEAD END

# Negros to tap 37,000 ha for bio-diesel

# DepEd asked to reduce disruption of classes

# Mayor's link to murder bolstered

## Roundup

### Support for small enterprises

### 13 Badjao families lose homes

### Seminar on proper poll conduct

### Rebel slain in Bataan firefight

### Seminar on forming NGOs

### Top Bicol criminal slain

### Cops hunt Laguna dad's brod

### Albay lineman dies



NEW HOMES

# Police, Army form watchdog for troops guarding candidates



IFUGAO ART

# 4 Pangasinan areas seen as poll hot spots

# *Divine icons help boys pursue education*



'Everything is by hand and I cannot imagine it being done by a machine...'

### Therapeutic

### For education

### Alternative

# NPA owns up assassination of ex-radio man in Albay

# NEWS

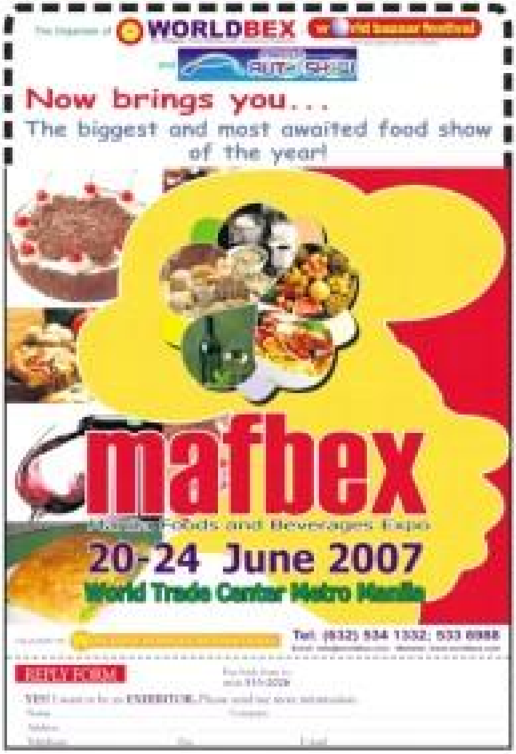
# No politics, just governance, Palace vows

# Candidates getting away breaking polls funding laws, says Monsod






FOR CLOSER UNITED NATIONS, ASEAN TIES




# DENR vows stricter monitoring of activities at La Mesa Dam

# Nation marks feast of Our Lady

# Aplus METRO

Gina Estie G. Dipasupil



# Couple in scam deported from Canada

## Suspects in fake investment scheme turned over to QC police

By Niña Dizon

A FILIPINO COUPLE FACING charges of large scale estafa arrived last Sunday afternoon in Manila after being deported from Canada.

An airport authority report said that Kaye del Rosario arrived with his wife Janice and their children on board Cathay Pacific flight CX 919 which landed at the Ninoy Aquino International Airport (NAIA).

The Del Rosarios were accused of engaging in a so-called "pyramid" scam, defrauding their alleged victims—among them high-ranking police and military officials—of around P250 million.

Numerous complaints had been filed against them by Filipinos in Canada and "hundreds of their victims in Manila," the report added.

The couple allegedly fled to Canada in March 2005 to escape from their victims. Before that, they had opened a company, [illegible] Holdings, and encouraged other people, mostly from the Philippine National Police, to invest money in the firm. In return, the "investors" were promised monthly interest payments.

The Del Rosarios were turned over by the Canadian Immigration Task Force to the Bureau of Immigration at the NAIA.

They were later taken into custody by policemen from the Quezon City Police District Station 6 led by Supt. Constante Agpaoa by virtue of separate warrants of arrest issued by QC Regional Trial Court (RTC) Judge Evelyn Corpus-Cabochan.

In a phone interview, Agpaoa told the Inquirer that he was also victimized by the couple. He and 10 of his relatives lost P5 million to the Del Rosarios, he said.

Agpaoa said the couple's illegal activities were discovered in 2005. By then, they had allegedly defrauded their victims in the Philippine National Police of an estimated P250 million.

"Kaye worked as a waiter but they lived it up in Canada, driving a Mercedes Benz and a BMW," the police official added.

According to Agpaoa, Kaye was a former jail warden of the Quezon City jail who met his wife while she was serving a prison sentence for estafa.

The police officer added that he met Del Rosario through friends in the PNP.

Agpaoa said he also went to Canada to personally look for the Del Rosarios but came back to Manila empty handed.

The couple was arrested by the Canadian police last week in Toronto.

Agpaoa called on victims of the Del Rosarios to come forward and file cases against the couple. *With Mike L. Marville*



KAYE del Rosario (left) and wife Janice face the media following their deportation from Canada. The couple left the Philippines in 2005 after allegedly defrauding their victims of P250 million through a pyramid scam.



PARTY TIME

Youngsters dressed up in eye-catching costumes paraded on the streets of Makati last Sunday as the city celebrated the Caracol Festival, an annual event that is the financial capital's version of the Mardi Gras in Rio de Janeiro and New Orleans.

# 'Wowowee' victims march to claim 'unfulfilled' pledges




STILL RUNNING

## GMA 7 seeks court order vs ratings firm to prevent service suspension

## NBI undertakes own investigation of slain judge



## Makati City's 'Caracol' regales Sunday crowd



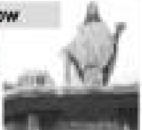
GRIEVING FATHER

## Ex-cop nabbed for drug cases

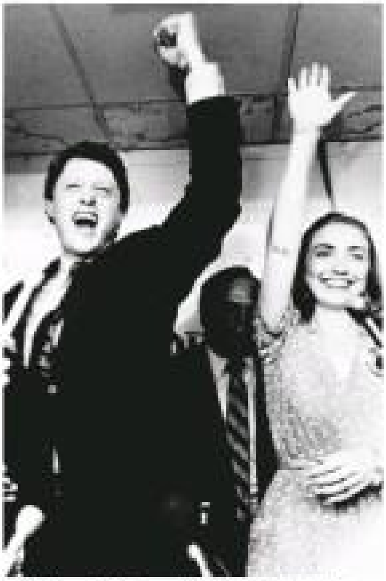
## 200 new buses to replace 'running coffins' unveiled

Operators' initiative

### DID YOU KNOW



# Breakthrough in Korea talks close, says report



## Wanted: $100M to fund a presidential campaign

## Turkish teen admits killing journalist

## Heavy workouts may weaken heart muscles, say researchers

## Harsher punishment for school bullies backed

## Two-thirds think America headed down wrong track

## Abbe Pierre, friend of homeless; 94



# The WORLD

# China silence on missile alarms US

WASHINGTON—BUSH ADMINISTRATION officials said that they had been unable to get even the most basic diplomatic response from China after their detection of a successful test to destroy a satellite 10 days ago, and that they were uncertain whether China's top leaders, including President Hu Jintao, were fully aware of the test or the reaction it would engender.



KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES:

## China: Vatican overture a 'step forward'

BEIJING—CHINA'S STATE-BACKED CATHOLIC Church on Monday welcomed an olive branch for dialogue extended by the Vatican over the weekend, saying it was a "step forward."

## Ultranationalists claim victory in Serb election



## Canada's largest-ever murder trial starts

## For 1st time, explorers reach Antarctica's center on foot

## Major quake off Indonesia



SNOW IN RED SQUARE

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# BAP chair, Alcoseba to join SBP

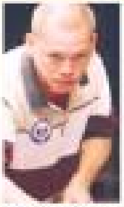
TWO KEY OFFICIALS OF THE BASKETBALL ASSOCIAtion of the Philippines are ready to jump on the Samahang Basketbol ng Pilipinas bandwagon for the sake of unity among the sport's major stakeholders.



TWO FOR BASKETBALL UNITY

## Agustin: I'm still West Visayas director

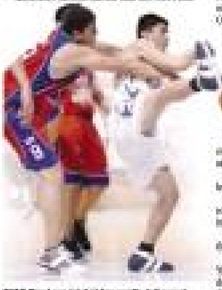
# Lining salvages 3rd in All Kansai



LINING



# Irrepressible Mac plays big for surging TNT Pals



MAC Cardona (right) has really delivered, says his coach, Derrick Pumaren

# War among four teams in PBL today



# UP, Ateneo batters post 4th straight victories

### Grand slam home run

### Championship experience

# Crack Thais tipped for RP Open success





# Melligen, Amonsot get WBO title shots

## SPORTSWATCH



### Insurance exec tops MCC active chess

### NPC tri-media badminton listing still open

### Arnis Philippines celebrates 30th year

### Makati Int'l Derby blasts off Feb. 5

## Thank you for your prayers

CLEAN LIVING



*Manolo R. Iñigo*

# Tinga Cup Moto-X lures stellar cast



# Wanted: SEAG Chef de Mision



NOT THIS TIME: William Ramirez

# Pacman to root for Arce in US



PACQUIAO

## Batawang stops Sinulog card foe

# *The incomparable craft of Bruce Lee's teacher*



TROVADOR Ramos (right) teaches a disciple on his gym.

# Baguio hosts King of Road races Feb. 11

# SPORTS

## Colts, Bears barge into Super Bowl



KIM Clijsters of Belgium hits a return against Daniela Hantuchova.

## Clijsters vs Hingis in Last 8

MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA—JAMES BLAKE HAD ANOTHER Grand Slam disappointment, losing in the fourth round to Chile's Fernando Gonzalez at the Australian Open.



MARTINA Hingis celebrates after slipping past China's Li Na.

## Sharapova subdues Zvonareva

## Mavs gain revenge against Miami Heat



DWYANE Wade (left) of the Heat tussles for a loose ball with Jerry Stackhouse of the Mavericks.



## Paraguay rules World Cup by 7 shots



CELESTE Troche (left) and Julieta Granada.

## Hoffman tops Hope golf



VOLLEY CHAMP: Security Bank Corp. emerges as the 2006 Bankers' Athletic Association Volleyball Tournament women's division champion.



# BUSINESS



# Treasury bill rates continue to fall

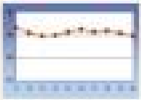
## 91-day yield at a low 3.171%

TREASURY BILL RATES ACROSS ALL MATURITIES fell to new all-time lows yesterday, reflecting optimism on the economic environment and the huge amount of available cash circulating in the market.

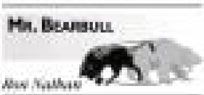
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CURRENCIES



# Foreign brokers keep buying




*Ben Nathan*

# Stocks continue to surge



## PhilWeb's online sports betting gets Pagcor nod

## Treasury bill rates ...

# Garbage correction



BREAKTIME

Conrado R. Banal III












# BUSINESS

## Gasoline, diesel prices seen to drop further in coming weeks

By Abigail L. Ho

## Indians coming to RP, says DOT

### Gov't works on better rates

By Ronnel W. Domingo



FROM VLADIVOSTOK WITH LOVE. Tourists from the Russian city of Vladivostok disembark in Manila before proceeding to Boracay. More and more tourists are now arriving from different parts of the world. The Philippine government is looking at ways to make it cheaper for tourists, especially from India, to visit the country.

## Fitch in town to rate RP's fiscal gains

## For ship industry to sail, NDC urged to float ₱6B in bonds

Michelle V. Remo

## Gov't firm to manage Diwalwal resources

By Michelle V. Remo





LIFESTYLE





# Beating the competition by a nose

THE PHILIPPINES may be lagging behind Thailand and Singapore in medical tourism, but it may have an ace that can make it edge its neighbors by a nose.



BEFORE



AFTER

### Encouraging

### Cheaper

### Better than silicon

### GARFIELD
BY JIM DAVIS



### A. LIPIN
BY JESS ABRERA



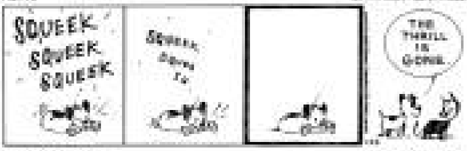
### BABY BLUES
BY JERRY SCOTT



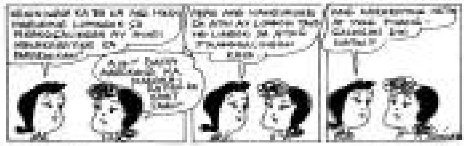

### PUGAD BABOY
BY PM JUNIOR



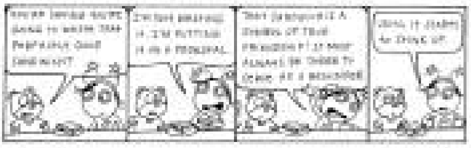

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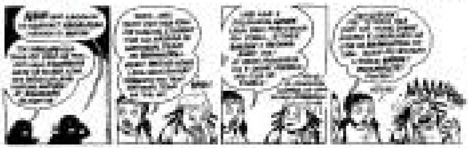


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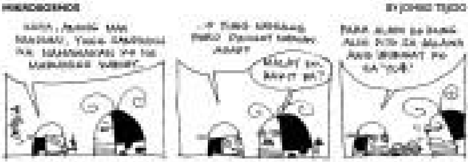


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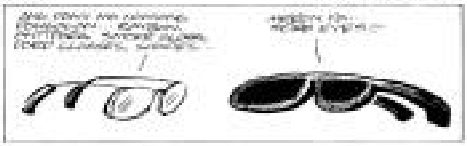
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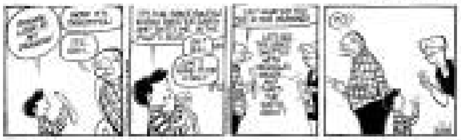
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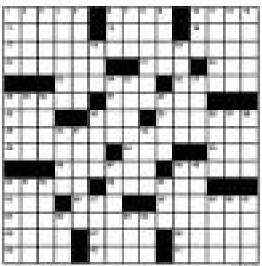
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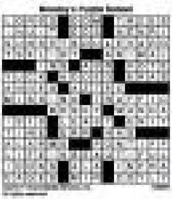


### BEN
BY DANIEL SHELTON



## DAILY CROSSWORD





## HOROSCOPE

## CONCEPTIS SU DOKU

Conceptis Sudoku by Dave Green

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Difficulty Level ★★

### HOW TO PLAY SU DOKU

Answer to previous puzzle

Inside Out

Cory Quirino

# Understand your body & slow the aging process

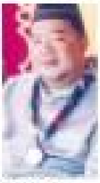
## Optimum health—the answer

## Looking younger

## Feel younger









# A historic royal event

Without Batting an Eyelash

Maurice Arcache

















## Wearing your conscience

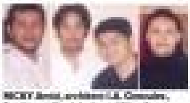
## Toast to success

## Galleria Duemila









WELL AND GOOD
Tina Aaron

# The bedroom workout



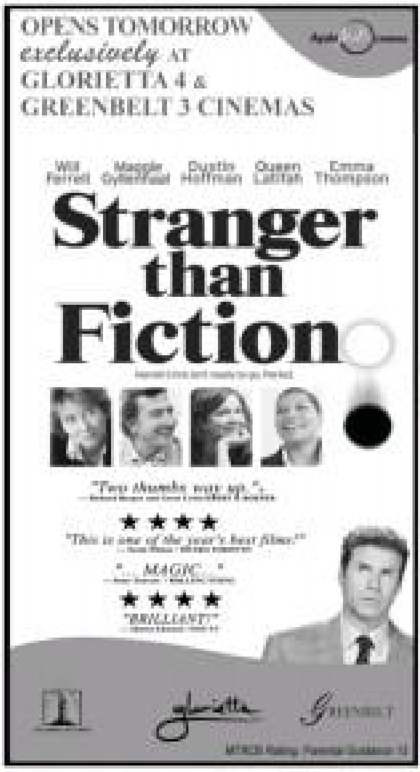
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### Be a star

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### Not a good idea

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EXERCISE OF THE WEEK

## Triceps stretch



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INNER AWARENESS
Jaime Licauco

# The amazing subconscious mind

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### Incredible results

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### Mind's ability

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### Storehouse

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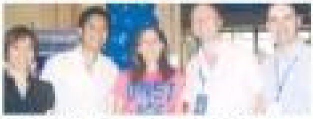



# Magic & music a perfect fit

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THE "PETER Pan" cast during the press preview



CREATIVE TEAM. (from left) Choreographer Kitty Cortes, musical director Amour Calderon, artistic director Emma York, playwright Ben Munroe and director and executive producer Matthew Gregory

### Rights secured

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### Fairy music

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# Other stars' defining moments recalled

VIEWFINDER
Nestor U. Torre



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# Music & magic . . .


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perfectly (again!) to the dialogue." The music of "Peter Pan," he adds, is "still evolving."

One of his favorite compositions for the musical is "Fairy Queen's Lullaby," which he co-wrote with Munroe. The song brings the kids back home from Neverland. He also composed with Munroe "Lost Boys' Groove," "Every Thing Here Dies With [illegible]," "We All Wanna Be Captain Hook" and "Hook's Song."

## Right blend

How were they able to blend their music with that of Jenkins?

"It's more of blending the music with the story," explains Munroe. "The songs of our 'Peter Pan' were written with Karl's music already in place. For example, we knew which song we wanted to underscore a battle scene or the Lost Boys' home underground."

With Jenkins' "fairy" music and the first draft of the script done, Munroe says they thought some English songs were necessary.

"The pirates, for example, would not express themselves in fairy language so we wrote them a couple of numbers to help establish character and background."

Other than the original music, Munroe names the following factors that make the musical different from other "Peter Pan" versions staged before: brand-new songs; spectacular flying (at one stage, three children, one fairy, Peter Pan and Nana the dog); Peter Pan is played by a boy rather than a woman actor (as happens in past versions); Nana flies to Neverland (by mistake); battles go onstage (not just the sound effects); scenes in the "real world" are much shorter, leaving more time for Neverland, and a live show on stage.

Calderon also boasts of his very own choreographed battle scenes.

## Sense of wonder

"We have created a show that should give audiences a sense of wonder and astonishment they would have felt if they had been at the first performance over 100 years ago, and one that also [illegible] to contemporary theater practices and performing styles," says Munroe.

The musical has an international cast of adult and child actors and live musicians, plus a full choir—the [illegible] Asian Singers [illegible]—onstage.

"Peter Pan," which is on a month-long weekend run at the CCP Main Theater, is on the first leg of its Asian tour, with Hong Kong and Kuala Lumpur next in line. Calderon says they are still waiting for word on Taiwan and Sydney, which should complete the year-round tour.

## 'Bayaning 3rd World' one-day screening

THOSE who saw "Bayaning 3rd World" six years ago remember [illegible] Rizal.

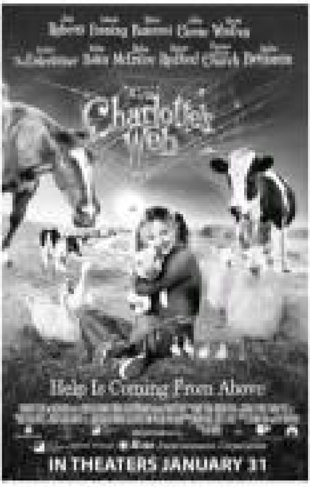
Mike De Leon sends his characters—a director (Ricky Davao) and a writer (Cris Villanueva) on [illegible]

The Independent Filmmakers Cooperative (IFC) presents a one-day screening of the film [illegible]













## AT THE CINEMAS

| Cinema | Schedule |
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| G1 | 1 SAW 3 · 2 DEJA VU · 3 [illegible] · 4 AGENT 044 |
| G4 | 1 BLOOD DIAMOND · 2 KASAL, KASALI, KASALO · 3 DEJA VU · 4 INNOCENT VOICES · 5 ARTHUR & THE INVISIBLES · 6 ERAGON · 7 SAW 3 |
| GB1 | 1 SAW 3 · 2 DEJA VU |
| GB3 | 1 ERAGON · 2 DEJA VU · 3 INNOCENT VOICES · 4 SAW 3 · 5 BLOOD DIAMOND |
| ATC | 1 DEJA VU · 2 ERAGON · 3 SAW 3 · 4 AGENT 044 · 5 ARTHUR & THE INVISIBLES |
| ACC | 1 DEJA VU · 2 SAW 3 · 3 A GOOD YEAR · 4 AGENT 044 |
| M2 | 1 AGENT 044 · 2 DEJA VU · 3 SAW 3 · 4 ARTHUR & THE INVISIBLES · 5 KASAL, KASALI, KASALO |

## At the Activity Center

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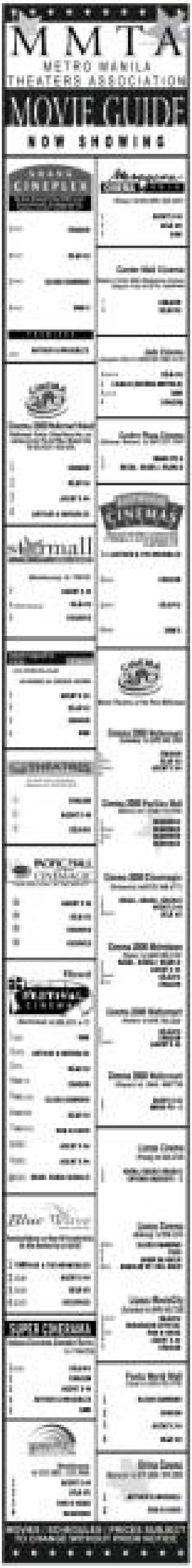
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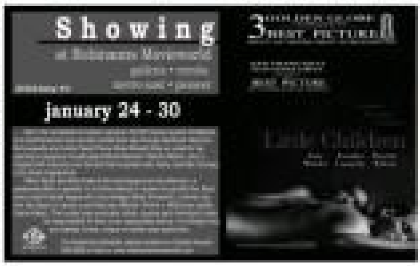
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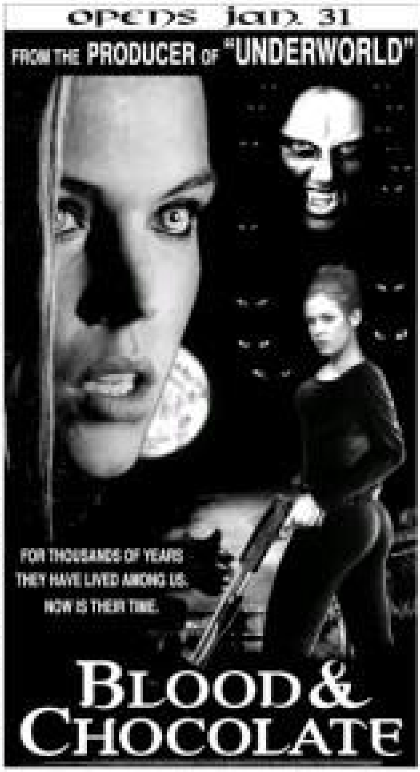









Adventure series

